

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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NEW CHANNELS FOR REGIONAL NEWS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to launch new channels under Doordarshan for regional news, music, etc;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which these are likely to be launched?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

- (a) Prasar Bharati have informed that there is no proposal to launch new channels by Doordarshan for regional news, music etc.
- (b) & (c) : Do not arise.